

## BOARD OF CIVIL AUTHORITY MEETING MINUTES

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Tuesday, December 29, 2020, 5:30 p.m, via Zoom

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Present: Selectboard members Richard Baker, Christopher Martin, and Laurie Colgan; Town Clerk Bobbi Brimblecombe; Justices Mary Leahy, Chris Bellamy, Ellen Halperin, James Arisman, Judy Henkin; Visitors Mark Tucker (Superintendent) and Patrick Healy (School Board Chair)

At 5:35 p.m. the meeting was called to order by Chair Chris Bellamy

**Changes or additions to the agenda:** none

**Public Comment:** none

Bobbi explained that the Selectboard has decided to vote everything by Australian Ballot rather than an open meeting for Town Meeting 2021. The School Board has also decided to do Australian Ballot. Bobbi would like the Board of Civil Authority to authorize the use of the tabulator.

Mary asked whether the town would be sending ballots to everyone, and whether the meeting could be moved. Bobbi explained that the legislature may give the town permission to move the meeting, and may give permission to mail ballots to everyone.

Mark Tucker indicated that pushing the vote out to mid-April would make it easier for the school to prepare their budget.

Bobbi moved, Judy seconded to use the tabulator. All in favor. Bobbi moved, Rich seconded to process absentee ballots through the tabulator on the day before the election. All in favor.

The meeting adjourned at 5:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bobbi Brimblecombe, Town Clerk

The foregoing is a true copy of the Minutes of the December 29, 2020 BCA Meeting.  
A True Record. Attest, \_\_\_\_\_, Town Clerk

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